

Appl. No. 10/017,513
Amendment dated May 4, 2004
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Amendments to the specification:

Please replace the abstract with the following amended abstract:

A method and apparatus is described for electronic signal monitoring and conversion to differing form. The preferred embodiment includes automatic selection of an audio signal from a plurality of input signals which may be in differing form, and conversion and processing of the selected signal to place it into one or more desired form to be output for further use. Further operations include delaying and mixing a plurality of signals may take place automatically or under operator control. Visual and/or audible monitoring of the signal(s) is also shown.

Please delete the second period at the end of the sentence on Page 4, line 12.,

Please add the following new paragraph after the paragraph ending at Page 10, line 18:

In keeping with the description herein, parameters which are established in manufacture and/or by an operator may be utilized such that selecting an audio signal which may be present at one of the inputs and/or the signal processing section operate in response to such parameters in order that such selecting and/or processing may automatically change in response to at least one signal present on an input.

Please replace the paragraph at page 14, lines 13 – 16 with the following amended paragraph:

One of ordinary skill will recognize from these teachings that ones or all of the elements 26 through 40 may be eliminated or provided in duplicate if desired, in order to reduce cost or provide audible and/or visible [visual] monitoring of multiple programs, selected input signal(s) and/or

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processed signal(s) and/or with multiple types of monitors and/or outputs in order to fit a particular system or requirements.